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| For: IMMOBILIZED LACTOFERRIN (IM-Lf) ANTIMICROBIAL AGENTS AND USES THEREOF | )<br>)<br>)                    |

AMENDMENT "A"

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 30, 2003, please consider the following amendments, remarks and terminal disclaimer. Enclosed is a Petition for a one month Extension of Time and a check for the requisite fee, so that the period for response now runs to and includes October 30, 2003.

Amendments to the Specification are reflected on page 2.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 33.